IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Bernd FREISLEBEN et al. Art Unit: 2857

Application No.: 10/757,566 Examiner: Suarez, Felix E.

Filing Date: 15 January 2004 Attorney Ref. No.: 003-104

For: Method for the Analysis and Monitoring of

the Partial Discharge Behavior of an Electrical

Operating Device

Via EFS-Web

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Mail Stop AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated 17 June 2005, which set a three-month shortened statutory period of response thereto, please amend the above-captioned patent application as follows. A Petition for a three-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and the fee specified in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a), is filed concurrently herewith; 17 December 2005 was a Saturday.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly rewrite Claims 1-24 as follows: